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 - Detailed Description (all totaling _____ pages)
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17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information and a preliminary amendment:

 Continuation Divisional of prior application No. 09/566,352

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PRIOR APPLICATION INFORMATION: M. P. Stafira Group Art Unit: 2877

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